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SUBJ: SOUTH LEBANON: ISRAELI PLANS

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1. WE OF COURSE DEFER TO DAMASCUS REGARDING SYRIAN ATTITUDES,
BUT ARE INCLINED TO AGREE WITH CHARGE VIETS THAT WEIZMANN
IS ENGAGED IN WISHFUL THINKING IF HE THINKS SYRIANS WILL
COOPERATE WITH PROLONGED ISRAELI PRESENCE IN SOUTH LEBANON.

2. WHILE IDEA OF TRAINING SHI'A AND CHRISTIANS TO DEFEND
THEMSELVES AGAINST PALESTINIANS HAS MERIT, AND WE THINK
SOMETHING OF THE SORT SHOULD BE ATTEMPTED, IT IS NOT SOME-
THING THAT CAN BE DONE IN THREE MONTHS, AND WE DOUBT ARABS
WILL STAND STILL FOR ISRAELI PRESENCE THAT LONG. RATHER,
IT IS SOMETHING THAT SHOULD BE DONE BY LEBANESE
UNDER SHELTER OF UNIFIL.

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